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On September 9, 2008

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By: Kim Helenius

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

NOBUYUKI SAIKA

Application No.: 10/649,171

Filed: August 26, 2003

For: STORAGE DEVICE MANAGING
SYSTEM, METHOD AND
PROGRAM

Conf. No. 4792

Examiner: Kristie D. Shingles

Art Unit: 2141

**(ADDITIONAL)
PETITION TO EXTEND TIME
37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for an additional extension of time for response to the Final Office Action dated August 11, 2008.

Applicant previously submitted a one (1) month extension of time for filing an Amendment After Final, and paid the appropriate fee of \$120. Kindly continue such extension for a total of two (2) months, to September 9, 2008. An appropriate response to the Final Office Action in the form of a Request for Continued Examination is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the fee as calculated below to Townsend and Townsend and Crew

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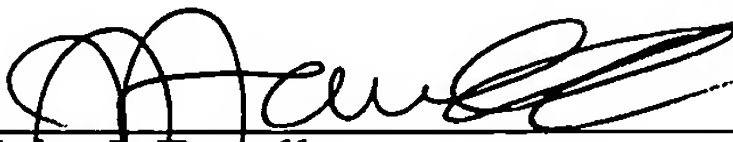
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Two Month Extension	\$ 460.00
Previously Paid	- 120.00
BALANCE TO BE CHARGED	\$ 340.00

Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above deposit account.

Date: 9/9/08

Respectfully submitted,


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